



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT  
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE  
FINAL DETERMINATION OF  
NON-SIGNIFICANCE  
June 16, 2005**

State of Washington

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**DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

**Name of Proposal:** MISSION RIDGE-CHAIR LIFT REPLACEMENT AND SNOW RESERVOIR AND SNOWMAKING EXTENSION

**Description of Proposal:** Site #1. Chair #2 Replacement & Lift Unloading and associated Egress Zone. New unloading terminal and egress will be 450 feet further to the south than the present location and 2 acres of egress ski trails

Site #2. 3 acre Snowmaking Reservoir Site & 450 ft Snowmaking Line Extension of water pipe and power.

**Proponent:** New Mission LLC, P.O. Box 1668, 7500 Mission Ridge Road, Wenatchee, Washington 98807-1668 – Project contact: Mark Milliette- 509/663-6543x 202

**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** Mission Ridge Ski Area, Wenatchee, Washington, Chelan and Kittitas Counties; Section 27 and 35, Township 21 North, Range 19 EastWM

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **June 15, 2005**

**Responsible Official:** Teresa A. Eturaspe

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**DATE OF ISSUE:** June 1, 2005 **SIGNATURE:** *Teresa A. Eturaspe*

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